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METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR ANALYZING OPERATIONAL
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Inventors: Worthington, et al.
Our File No.: 99101101(US)US

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced application are the following documents:

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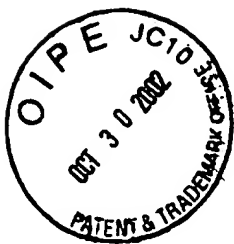
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In response to the Restriction Requirement dated October 1, 2002, Applicant elects the claims in Group I which include claims 1-74, 133-181, 186, and 187 drawn to retrieving and analyzing information, classified in class 369, subclass 30.04.

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